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SUBJECT Holding of Cattle Fair during the Car Festival of Sri Kodandarama Swami temple at Chelur Village Bagepalli Taluk.

No R 4002. 5 dated 11.12.1944
To The Deputy Commissioner
Chairman
Dy. Comn., Kolar.
President District Board
Kolar District.
Sanctions the recommendation.

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No. M5-264/44-45

OFFICE OF THE MUZRAI COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE

Bangalore, 12th October 1944.

Qussy 97-44-1.

FROM Rajasevaprasakta
M. Seshadri, Esq., M.A.,
The Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,

To

K. Subba Rao, Esq., B.A.,
General Secretary to the Government
of Mysore, Bangalore.

SIR,

Holding of Cattle Fair during the Car Festival of Sri Kodandaramaswami Temple at Chelur Village, Bagepalli Taluq.

I have the honor to state that Sri Anjaneyaswami Temple at Chelur village, is a Village Muzrai Institution, endowed with inam lands, a tamarind tope, and a cash grant. The aggregate income of the temple is less than Rs 100 per annum. The idol of Sri Kodandaramaswami was installed about ~~100~~ 20 years ago, in the same temple; and a car festival is held in the name of this deity, on Rathasaptami, which lasts for a week. It is reported that the number of cattle that assemble aggregates 5,000 to 6,000. The devotees and dharmadarsis propose to organise a cattle show and to levy fees on the cattle, shops, etc., during the fair, with a view to augment the resources of the temple. The local officers have reported that no cattle fair is held anywhere in the surrounding villages during Rathasaptami, and that the proposed cattle fair does not affect the interests of any other temples, and that there are good water and other facilities for men and cattle.

The District Board, Kolar, which was consulted in regard to the organisation and control of the jatra, have resolved at its meeting held on the 30th March 1944, that 50% of the net income might be paid to the temple funds. As the proposal of the District Board is against the standing orders of Government, which contemplates that 80% of the gross realisations should be paid to the institution, and, as the institution does not derive any benefit by this apportionment, the Deputy Commissioner proposes that the jatra may be held under the management of the Muzrai Department.

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In these circumstances, I request that sanction of Government may kindly be obtained to hold the cattle fair for about a week, commencing from Rathasaptami Day, during the annual car festival of the deity, under the management of the Muzrai Department.

A copy of letter No.A2-C.92/43-44 dated 11th August 1944, together with its enclosures, received from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, is, herewith, sent for favour of reference.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

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Muzrai Commissioner.

1) It is reported that no cattle fair is held has during the Rathasaptami in the neighbouring villages and that therefore the holding of cattle fair as proposed does not affect the interests of any other temples in the surrounding area.

2) While under the Standing orders 80 per Cent of the gross realisation of the fair have to be paid to the institution, the Kolar Dist Bd have resolved that 50 per cent of the net income should be paid to the temple which is against the above orders.

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The D.C. Kolar recommends that the fairs may be allowed to undertake management of the Muzrai dept.

3) The M.C. accordingly requests sanction to hold the cattle fair for about a week Commencing from Rathasaptami day, during the Annual car festival of Sri Kodandaramaswami, under the management of the Muzrai Dept.

4) The recommendation of the M.C. is for orders.

5) The question of the M.C. may be considered

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8) Mr Ross (the Law dept) 4/11

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Holding of a cattle fair during the of Sri Kodandaramaswami Temple at Chelur Village, Bagepalli Tq. 15853/R

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9) Submitted with a draft G.O. Sanctioning

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2 G.O.No.R 4002-57 dated 11/12/66

To The Muzrai Comm
" Comptroller
" D.C. Kolar
" President Dist Bd Kolar Dist

Sanctions to recommendation of the M.C for holding a cattle fair for about a week commencing from Rathasapthami during the car festival of Sri Kodandaramaswami Temple at Chelur village, Bagepalli Tq, under the management of the Muzrai Dept.

Copy to L.S.G Branch

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From Letter No.A2-C.92/43-44 dated 11-8-44 from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

Sub: Holding cattle fair and levying tax on cattle, shops etc., during the car festival of Sri Kodandaramaswamy temple at Chelur Village, Bagepalli Taluk.

I have the honor to forward herewith the entire file of correspondence ending with letter No.42/43-44 dated 29-5-44 of the President, District Board, Kolar connected with the above subject, and to state as follows:-

Sri Anjaneyaswami temple at Chelur village is a village institution having been endowed with the following Inam lands and a tamarind tope and with a cash grant of Rs 8-12-0 per annum.

Nature	Area	Assessment.
1. Bagayet	0- 9	0-12-0
2. Wet	1-37	12- 0-0
3. Dry	9- 6	9- 8-0
Total	11-12	22- 4-0

The aggregate income of the temple is reported to be less than Rs 100 per annum. There are idols of Sri Kodandaramaswamy installed in the same temple some 20 years ago and a car festival is being held every year in the name of the latter deity during the Rathasaptami day. It is also reported that cattle assemble since 5 or 6 years and that 5000 to 6000 cattle assembled last year. As there are no proper sources of income to the temple, the jatra is being run on subscription. The devotees and dharmadarsis have since proposed to organise a cattle show and to levy fees on the cattle, shops etc. during the car festival with a view to increase the financial resources of the temple and to meet expenses towards the conduct of the car festival.

The local officers have reported that no cattle fair is held anywhere during the Rathasaptami in the surrounding villages and the cattle fair proposed does not affect the intersts of any other temples. That there are good water and other facilities for men and cattle and the proposal may be sanctioned in order to improve the resources of the Institution.

The District Board, Kolar which was requested to furnish views in the above matter, have resolved in their meeting held on 30-3-44 that 50% of the net income may be paid to the temple funds as the Board has to meet the jatra expenses. As per G.O.No.I.f 166 L.B.54-34-11 dated 11-1-1936 read with G.O.No.I.1778/1.B.65-33-2 dated 7-9-1933, it is imperative on the part of the District Board that 80% of the gross realisations should be paid to the Institution whereas the District Board is agreeable to pay only 50% of the net income. If the management of the jatra is entrusted to the Board, the Institution does not derive the expected benefits by receiving a moiety of net income.

Under these circumstances, I request that sanction of Government may kindly be obtained to organise the cattle fair through the management of the Muzrai officers and to levy taxes on cattle, shops etc., as detailed in the scheaules hereto appended.

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For Muzrai Commissioner.

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Signed by Mr S. K.V.

Read— Letter No. M S. 264/44-45 dated the 12th October 1944 from the Muzrai Commr requesting sanction, in the circumstances mentioned to hold the cattle fair under the management of the Muzrai Dept for about a week Commencing from Rathasapthami Day during the Annual car festival of the deity of Sri Kodandaramaswami Temple at Chelur Village, Bagepalli Tq

May this be—

(i) printed ?

(ii) treated as a Standing Order ?

(iii) published in the Gazette, English Part ?

(iv) translated ?

(v) placed at the disposal of the Press ?

(iv) published in the Gazette, Kannada Part ?

~~Order thereon.— No.~~

Order. R.L.0025 of 11-12-44

Sri Kodandaramaswami Temple at Chelur is a Village Muzrai Institution endowed with inam lands, a Samarimane to pe and a cash grant of

of Rs 8-12-0 per annum. The aggregate income of the temple is reported to be less than Rs 1000/-. A car festival is held on the Rathasaptami for about a week when 5000 to 6000 cattle are stated to assemble at the place with a view to augment the resources of the Temple, the devotees and dharmadarsis propose to organise a cattle show on the occasion and to levy fees on the cattle, shops etc. The local Officers have reported that no cattle fair is held in the neighbouring villages on that day, and that the proposed fair does not affect the interests of any other temple. The necessary water and other facilities are said to be available.

It is reported that the Distt Board, Kolar, which was consulted in the subject, ~~has~~passed a resolution at a meeting held on 20/3/44 that 5 0 per cent of the net income might be paid to the temple funds. The D.C Kolar considers that the proposa is against the standing orders of Govt and that the institution does not derive any benefit. He therefore proposes that the jatra may be held under the management of the Muzrai Dept.

List of Enclosures

The M.C agrees with the D.C Kolar and recommends sanction to hold the cattle fair for about a week commencing from Rathasaptami during the annual car festival of the deity under the management of the Muzrai Dept.

Govt are pleased to sanction the recommendation of the Muzrai Commissioner

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For General Secretary to Govt

~~Examined by~~

To The Muzrai Commr, with records
" Comptroller to Govt
" D.C Kolar
" President, Distt Board, Kolar Dist.
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

Read:-

Letter No. M-204/44-45 dated the 12th October 1944 from the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore, requesting sanction, in the circumstances mentioned, to hold the cattle fair under the management of the Muzrai Department for about a week commencing from Rathasaptami day during the annual car festival of the deity of Sri Gopalakrishnaswami Temple at Chelur village, Kolar taluk.

Order No: R 4002-37/Miz 97-44-2

Dated, Bangalore, the 11th December 1944.

Sri Gopalakrishnaswami Temple at Chelur in Kolar taluk is a Muzrai Institution endowed with inam lands, a tank and house sites yielding an income of Rs.8-12-0 per annum. The average income of the temple is reported to be less than Rs.100/-. A car festival is held on the Rathasaptami day for about a week when 5000 to 6000 cattle are reported to assemble at the place. With a view to augment the resources of the temple, the devotees and dharmadarsis propose to organise a cattle show on the occasion and to levy fees on the cattle, shops etc. The local officers have reported that no cattle fair is held in the neighbouring villages on that day and that the proposed fair does not affect the interests of any other temple. The necessary water and other facilities for same to be provided.

It is reported that the District Board, Kolar, which was consulted on the subject, have passed a resolution at a meeting held on 30th March 1944 that 50 per cent of the net income might be paid to the temple funds. The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar, considers that the proposal is against the standing orders of Government in that the institution does not derive any benefit. He therefore proposes that the jatra may be held under the management of the Muzrai Department.

The Muzrai Commissioner agrees with the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar and recommends sanction to hold a the cattle fair for about a week commencing from Rathasaptami during the annual car festival of the deity, under the management of the Muzrai Department.

Government are pleased to sanction the recommendation of the Muzrai Commissioner.

For Secretary to Government,
General Department.

To

The Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore, 4th floor Cross.
" Comptroller to Government.
" Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.
" President, District Board, Kolar District.

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